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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Christine DUPUIS

Application No.: 09/172,853

Filed: October 15, 1998

For: COSMETIC COMPOSITION WITH A
FIXING AND/OR CONDITIONING
POLYMER CONTAINING A SPECIFIC
ACRYLIC COPOLYMER

Group Art Unit: 1617

Examiner: E. Webman

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

AMENDMENT

In response to the Office Action mailed April 1, 2003, the period for reply having been extended for two months by a request for extension and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, Applicant requests reconsideration and continued examination of this application in light of the following amendments and remarks. Please amend the application as follows:

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